¶ This is the Cronycle of all the kyngꝭ names that haue ben in Englande: and how many yeres they reygned/ and how many layntꝭ & martyrs haue ben in this lande: and shewith the hole fume/ from the makyng of the worlde tyll the comynge of Brute: ꝓ whiche is .iiii. M. lxxvii. yeres/ and fro the comynge of Brute to the Incarnacion of Christe is M.C. xxi. yeres: & fro the Incarnacion to the .xxiii. yere of kynge Henry the .vi. is M.CCCC.lvi. yeres.

¶ This is the Cronycle of all the kynges nam-
ed and how many yeres they reygned and how
many thynges & maruayles haue ben in this lande.

¶ Brute came after the makynge of the worlde into
the lande of Albyon / in the tyme that Ely the Jew
of the lande was in the lande of Israel. iiii. M. xxviii.
yeres.

¶ Newe Troy (that now is cally'd London) was
fou'nded by the makynge of Brute / after the makynge
of the worlde. iiii. M. C. xxiiii. yere.

¶ Rome was was fou'nded by Remus & Romulus
iiii. M. iiii. C. xxxviii. yere.

¶ Jesu Christe was conceyued by the holy goste in
the mayde Marie on a fryday in the tyme of kynge
Kamelyn was kynge of Assyryens / the .xv. daye of
Marche: after the makynge of the worlde .iiii. M.
C. xxxxiii. yeres.

¶ Jesu Christe was borne / whan his mother was
ryden to be taxed on a sonday / the .xxv. day of Decem-
ber / in the same yere after the makynge of the worlde
v. M. C. xxxxiii. yere.

¶ Saynt Johñ the Baptyste was hedyd the .xxv.
day of Auguste after the Incarnacion. xxxii. yere.

¶ Jesu Christe suffred deth on a fryday the .xv. day
of Marche after his incarnacion. xxxiii. yere

¶ Saynt Stephen was martyred the thirde daye
of Auguste after the Incarnacion. xxxiii. yere.

¶ Saynt Paule was martyred the .xvi. day of Ja-
nuary after the Incarnacion. xxxiii. yere.
¶ Our lady Mary was taken into heuen the .xv.
day of August in the .lx. yere of her age: after the In-
carnacion. xlv. yere.
¶ Saynt Longius was martyred after the Incar
nacion. viii. yere.
¶ Saynt Peter & Paule were martyred the xxix.
day of June after the Incarnacion. xxxv. yere.
¶ Lucy the kynge of Bytayn becom christen after
the incarnacion. C. xxx. yere.
¶ Saynt Katheryne was martyred by Maxenci⁹
Emperor of Rome in ꝑ tyme of Constantyne ye
Elyn sonne was kynge of Bytayn after the Incar-
nacion. CC. lii. yere.
¶ Saynte Ursula / with the .xi. M. virgins were
martyred at Colayn: by a Sarasyn that was called
Gerasiꝯ which the was kynge of Coleyn in ꝑ tyme
of Maximyan was kynge of Bytayn: after the
Incarnacion. CC. lxxxviii. yeres.
¶ Saynte Alon was martyred / by the forsayde
Gwane in the tyme of Maximyan: after the In-
carnacion. CCC. yeres.
¶ Saynt Gregory the pope / sente into Englande
saynt Augustyne after the Incarnacion. CCCCC.
lxxxvi. yere.
¶ Saynt Edmunde the kynge was martyred / by
Hingar and Hubba of Demarke: in tyme that Kyl-
fred was kynge of Englande: after the Incarna-
cion. viii. C. lx. yeres.
¶ Saynt Edwarde the marty. / was martyred by

hys stepmother after the Incarnac. ir.C.lxxx.ye.
¶ Saynt Edwarde the confessor was quycke and
dede in the yere of grace. M.lxvi.yeres.
¶ Saynt Edmunde the kynge was translated the
tyme that Wyllyā Ruphus was kynde of England
the yere of grace. M.lxxxvi.yeres.
¶ Saynt Edwarde the confessour was translated
by sayncte Thomas of Caunturbury in the tyme of
kynge Henry.ii.yere of grace.
¶ Saynt Thomas of Caunturbury was martyred in the same kynge Henr tyme in the yere of grace. M.C.lxx.yer.
¶ The same saynte Thomas was translated in the tyme of kynge Henry in the yere of grace. M.CC.xx.yeres.

¶ These ben the Cronycles of the kynges that haue ben syth Brute came into this lande fyrste.

¶ Brute came into this lande after the makynge of the worlde.iiii.M.lxxvii.yeres. And he spurd i the lande or he were crowned.xi.yere. And after he was crowned.xx.yeres.

¶ Lotryn hys sone .v.yeres.
¶ Madan his sone. xxx.yeres.
¶ Ebranke his sone. xl.yeres.
¶ Leyle his sone. ix.yeres.
¶ Bladud his son. xxi.yeres.
¶ Guendolyn his wyfe. xv.yeres.
¶ Memps his sone. xviii.yeres.

¶ Brute Bremenhull. xxii.yere.
¶ Ludeyas. xii.yere.
¶ Lyze his sone. xviii.yere.
¶ Credel his daughter. v.yere.
¶ Conadage her suster sone. xxxii.yere.
¶ Repuolde his sone. xx.yere.
¶ Gorbodyan his sone. xv.yere.
¶ Denobaud wan the realme by conquest and reygned. xl.yere.
¶ Belyn his sone. xi.yere.
¶ Conadatus his sone. xxv.yere.
¶ Guentolem his sone. xxb.yere.
¶ Sesilme his sone. xb.yere.
¶ Kymozy his sone. xix.yere.
¶ Mozwych his sone. xx.yere.
¶ Grandobodyan his sone. xi.yere.
¶ Portagapple his sone. xbi.yere.
¶ Petitur his brother. b.yere.
¶ Elydur his brother. xxiii.yere.

¶ xxxiii. kyng reygned afterwarde.

¶ Lave the last kyng sone of xxxiii. reygned. xi.yere.
¶ Hallodan his brother. xxbii.yere.
¶ Indiagen Ludoes litle sone. xbii.yere.
¶ Kembolyn before the Incarnacion. cli.yere.

¶ The hole sume fro the compynge of Brute tyll the Incarnacion. M.C.xxii.yere.

¶ Grynder and Armog his ii. sones. xliii.yere.
¶ Koyle Armog his sone. xli.yere.
¶ Lucy his sonne reygned an Hethenman. xi.yere.

and a Chriſten man. ti.yere.
¶ And afterwarde was ſo great debate in ꝑ lande/ that the realme was longe without a kynge.l.yera.
¶ Cole that made Colcheſter was kynge theu. xiii. yeres.
¶ Conſtantyne the Romayne/ that wedded ſaynte Elyn Coles daughter. xv.yere.
¶ Conſtantyne that was Emperour his ſone.xx.yer.
¶ Octauyan reygned after that Conſtantyne was gone to Rome to be crowned Emperour.xv.yeres.
¶ Martimyã wedded Octauiãs daughter & reygned.xxviii.yer.in his tyme ſaynt Albon was ſlayne.
¶ Conſtãtyne coſyn to the kynge of lytell Brytayn reyned. xii.yere.
¶ Conſtantyne his ſone that was a monke at Wynchelter reygned. iv.yere.
¶ Fortegor that was Erle of Eſſex reygned.xi.yer
¶ Fortymer his ſone. xiiii.yere.
¶ Engyſt of Saxony in that lande of Jarmayn/ ꝑ was a Saraſyn/ wan the lande/ & reygned. v.yere.
¶ Aurylambros Conſtantynes ſonne ſlough Engyſt/ and droue the Saraſyns away/ and reygned.viii.yere.
¶ Uter Pendragon his brother reygned.xvii.yer.
¶ Arthur his ſone reygned. xxvi.yere.
¶ Conſtantyne Arthurs coſyn. xviii.yere.
¶ Guran for Conſtantyne had none heire.xxx.yer
¶ Tonagh his coſyn. xviii.yere.
¶ Hyrryke reygned. xxv.yer.
¶ Saynt Adelbert & Hebert ꝑ were conuerted by ſaynt Auguſtyne & his felowſhyp reygned. l.yere.

¶ Elfrede and Cadwaller / saynt Oswalds & Cadwalyn reygned in the realme of Englande one after a nother. lxxx.yer.

¶ Offa saynt Oswaldis brother. xlviii.yeres

¶ Alured the fyrste / in his tyme saynt Edmunde of Bury was slayne of Hungar and Hubba the kynges bretherne of Denmarke xxx.yeres.

¶ Edwarde the fyrste his sone. xxv.yer.

¶ Edmunde his brother. xvii.yeres

¶ Adelstone.

¶ Eldrede his brother. i.yer

¶ Edwyn his thirde brother. iiii.yeres.

¶ Edgar his sone. xvii.yer.

¶ Saynt Edwarde the martyr his son. xii.yeres.

¶ Swyn that was kynge of Denmarke. xv.yer.

¶ Eldrede saynt Edwardes Brother ii.yere.

¶ Edmunde Ironsyde knowen Swyns son. xx.yer

¶ Harolde harefote knowte son xvii.yer.

¶ Hardeknowte his brother. vi.yeres.

¶ Saynte Edwarde the confessour Eldreds sonne reygned. xxiii.yeres.

¶ Harolde that was Godwyn sonne Duke of westsex reygned. i.yere.

¶ Here endeth ye cronycle of the kyngis that reygned before the conquest.

¶ The cronycle of all the kynges names that haue reygned in Englande syth the conquest of wyllyam Conquerour.

¶ This myghty Wyllyam Duke of Normandye
As bokes olde make mension
By iuste title and by his chyualrye
Made kynge by conquest of Brutes Albion
Put out Harolde/and toke possession
Bare his crowne full.xxi.yere
Buryed at Cane.thus sayth the cronycolere.

Nexte hym in ordre by succession
Wyllyam Rufus his sone crowned kynge
Whiche to godwarde had no deuocyon
Distroyed churche of newe and olde buyldynge
To make a forest pleasaunt for huntynge
xiiii.yere bare his crowne in dede
Buryed at Wynchester:the cronycle ye may rede.

His brother next/called the fyrste Henry
Was at London crowned/as I fynde
Whose brother Robert/duke of Normandye
Gaue hym warr:the cronycle maketh mynde
Reconcyled:all rancour set behynde
Full.xxvi.yere(by recorde of wryttynge)
He reygned:and buryed at Redynge.

His cosyn Stephen/whan Henry ꝑ fyrst was deed
Towarde Englande/gan to crosse his sayle
The Archebyshop set vpon his heed.
A ryche crowne:beynge of his counsayle
xix.yere with sorowe and great trauayle
Bare his crowne and had neuer rest
At Feuersham lyeth buryed in a cheste.

Henry the seconde sonne of the empres
Was next crowned: a full comely knyght
As bokes olde playnly do expresse
Thys sayd Henry by frowarde forse and myght
Slewe saynt Thomas for the churches ryght
xxv.yere he reygned: as it is made mynde
At Fountenerarde lyth buryed: as I fynde

Rycharde his sonne next by succession
Fyrste of the name stronge/harde/and notable
Was crowned kynge/called cure de lyon
With Saralyns heedis serued at his table
Slayne at Talus/by deth lamentable
He reygned fully the space of.ix.yere
His hert kuryed at Rone at the hygh autere

Nert kynge Rycharde reygned his brother Johñ
After soone entred into Fraunce
Lost all Angie and Normandye anon
This lande enterdyted by his gouernaunce
And as it is put in remembraunce
xviii.yere kynge of this Regyon
Lyeth at Worcester/dyed of poyson.

Henry the.iii.his sone of.ix.yere of age
Was at Glouceftre crowned as I rede
Longe warre he had with his baronage
Greatly delyted in almeldede
lvi.yere: he reygned here in dede
Buryed at Westmynster by recorde of wyttynge.
Day of saynt Edmunde made martyr and kynge

Edwarde the firste with the shankes longe.
Was after crowned that was so good a knyght
Wanne Scotlande/ maugre the Scottes stronge
And all Walys dispyte of all theyr myght
Duryd his lyfe maynteyned trewth and ryght
xxxb. yere he was here kynge
Lyth at Westmynster/ this is treuth & no lesynge.

Edwarde his sõne called Carnaruane
Succyde after to make his alyaunce
As the cronycle wel reherse cane
Weddyd the daughter of the kynge of Fraunce
On Thomas Lancaster by deth he toke vengeaũce
xix. yere here/ he helde his regalye
Buryed at Glocestre/ as bokes specifye.

The thyrde Edwarde/ borne at wynsore
Whyche in knyghthod had so great a prys
Enherytour of Fraunce withouten more
Bare in his armys quartly. iiii. flowerdelys
And he gate Calys by his prudent deuyce
Reygned in Englande. li. yere
Lyth at Westmynster. thus sayth the cronycelere.

Sõne of prynce Edwarde/ Rychard the secoũde
In whose tyme was peas great plente
Wedded quyne Anne of Ceume as it is founde
Isabell after of Fraunce/ who lyst se
xxii. yere he reygned here parde
At Langley buryed/ tyrste so stode the case
After to Westmynster his body caryed was

Henry the.iiii. next crowned in certeyne
A famous knyght/and of great semblenesse
From his exyle whan he came whome agayne
Trauayled after with wary and great sykenesse
xiiii. yere he reygned in southnesse
Lyth at Cauterbury in that holy place
God of his mercy do his soule grace.

The.v. Henry of knyghthod lodsterr
Wyse and ryght manly playnly to termyne
Ryght fortunate proued in peas and warr
Greatly expert in marcyal dispyne
Able to stande amonge the worthys nyne.
Reygned.x. yere/who so lyst haue regarde
Lyth at Westmynster nat farr frō saynt Edwarde.

Henry the syrte/as I fynde by wrytynge
Reygned iustly.xxxviii. yere
Whyche was ryght holy and vertuous of lyuynge.
And after hym: as it doth appere
Reygned Edwarde the fourth.xxii. yere
And one moneth: neyther lasse nor more
And both those kynges lye at Wynsore.

After this.iiii. Edwarde: as it is accōpted
Reygned Edwarde the.v. of that name
The whiche Edwarde was neuer crowned
Who redeth the cronycle shall se the same
And after hym (myn accōpte for to frame)
Rycharde the thirde/reygned in certayne
Two yere.x.ii. monethes: the cronycle sayth playn.

After whome reygned/that moſt noble kynge
Henry the ſeuenth.xxiii.yere
And.viii.monethes by recorde of wryttynge
Whome his enemies dyad both farre & nere
With whom all chriſten pryncis/as it doth appere
In his actis: were glad to make bandis of peas
And for to lyue in quiete/reſte/and eas.

Whiche prudent prynce/of Apryll the.xxi.day
Departed this worlde by deuyne ordynaūce.
For whom many one layd/alas and welway
With lamentable teres and woful ſemblaūce
Blamed Athropos for all theyr greuaunce
And ſpecially the comons ſorowed for theyr kynge
But nothynge auayled theyr lachrymable weppyng.

Moche was the dolour of great and ſmalle
Hys deth ryght greuous to vs euerychone
For in his tyme we were dryede ouer all
yet vs to recōfort/and to be our champyon
He lefte behynd hym the myghty Sypion
Hys only ſōne/the eyght kynge Henry
Of great hardy corage/Ector the worthy.

Whyche myghty prynce ſhortly to determyne
The.xxii.day of Apryll/began to rayne
(Anno domini.M.D.and nyne)
Ouer England/ſumtyme named Brytayne
The.xxiiii.day of June after/in certayne
(With all the nobles of ſpiritual & tēporalte)
Crowned he was/with tryūphe and ſolēpnyte.

And here wyll I leue hym as a conquerour
Saylynge forth (a prynce inuictissimus)
Within the shyp/of hygh and great honour
Whiche grace gydeth from all thynges perillous
With .iiii. quarter maisters most famous
Called Justice/Prudence/and Temperaūce
And stronge Force/all them doth auaunce.

¶ Finis.

¶ Thus endeth the cronycle of al the kynges
names/that haue reygned in Englande,
sith ỹ compynge of Wyllyā Conque-
rour: & how longe they reygned.
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son/Prynter vnto the
kynges noble
grace.

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